



Drawn by Bertha Earl



ETHELLIP'S COMPE Drawn by Ethel Lipscombe



Drawn by Georgie M. Reese



Drawn by W. C. Cummins.



CO GROWEN

Drawn by Peggy Stuart.

Drawn by John B. Green HALLOWEEN

Drawn by Margaret Belknap

Correspondence Column

Thanks for Dimes.

Dear Editor, How are you? All of us have had the Spanish influenza. We had to close school on account of it. I am inclosing i0 cents for Claude Belot. Please send me his address. I have not received my prize yet. As my letter, is getting long I will close. Give my love to all of the members, your old member.

LUCY G. PARRISH,

Lassiter, Va., Goochland County. P. S.-I will send something in for contest. Sends Third Dime.

Dear Editor,—I am sending in a drawing which I hope to see in print Sunday. I am also sending in my third dime. I have been sick in bed but am better. So I thought I would try to draw some more for the page. I will close now hoping you and all the members are well. Your member. FRED STRONG.

Richmond.

Welcome Back.

Dear Editor,—I am one of the old members, but I have not written for some time. I hope to enter the contest. I am sending in a drawing and a story, which I hope to see in next Sunday's paper. If you can't print all of my story at one time I would be glad if you would print half of it. The Spanish influenza is going around to everybody here and our schools have been closed until it is over with, I hope you haven't caught it. Several of my kirl friends have it. As it is getting late I guess I had better close for this time. Your loving member.

ELIZABETH BAILEY.

In a Few Weeks.

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Dear Editor.—I am sending in a continued story which I hope to see in the Sunday's paper. I was certainly glad to see my letter and drawing in the paper. When is the contest going to be? I hope it will be soon because I intend to put somthing in, I am sure nearly it will be good. I will close, sincerely.

MILDRED L. EVANS.

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Hopewell, Va. MILDRED L. EVANS.
P. S.—liow many words to be in a story?
Editor of T. D. C. C., Times-Dispatch.
Dear Editor,—I received my pin and I think it is lovely, and bet the rest of the members do. Inclosed is a drawing which I hope granny scrap bag won't get. Your new member.

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Incomers do. Inclosed is a drawing which I hope grainly scrap bag won't get. Your new member.

P. S.—Please tell me what the right address is?

Praises Page.

Dear Editor.—I was very blad to see several of my drawings in the papers of the past two or three Sundays. I think we have a very line page at this time of the year, as a lot of the members are generally out-of-town, but still many more have more leisure time from not attending school, who are contributing some pretty work. Well the summer is aimost over and it will soon be time to look for our heavy clothes. Hope we will not have such a cold winter as last year. I will be glad when the page will have another contest. I do not write very often as I seem to be unable to find anything to write about I will close, hoping to send you and the members a nice long letter sometime soon. Yours truly.

Washington, D. C.

McKenney, Va. J. ALBERT DOYLE.

That is Hesr.

Dear Editor.—I was very glad to see my drawing in the paper. Inclosed you will find a drawing for next Sunday's paper, if it is right to send them a week ahead of time or not, will you please tell me. Yours truly.

FREDERICK C. BERGH.

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New Member.

FREDERICK C. BERGH.

Dear Editor,—I received my badge and think it is real pretty. Inclosed you will find a drawing. Hope it will excape the waste-basket. From your new member.

P. S.—I am sending a drawing for my sister Lillian Earl.

Sometimes in the Contests.

Dear Editor,—I am sending a story for the contest which I hope will pass. Dear Editor how often do you give medals, do you give medals instead of prizes for the contest? How often do you give prizes to a child, is it not one prize for a member in a year? Close with love to you and all members. I remain yours lovingly.

Likes Badge.

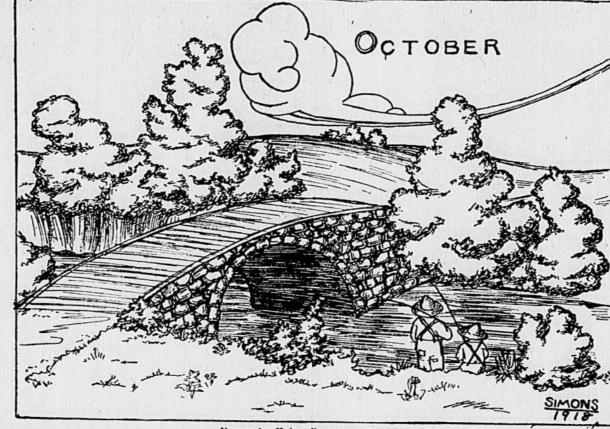
Dear Editor,—I am sending in a service.

Likes Badge.

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Dear Editor,—I am sending in a drawing which I hope to see in print next Sunday. My little sixter Ethel is very proud of her button, she thanks you very much for it. Will you print her drawing I think a "war orphan contest" will be grand. I think I'll have to close now. Love to you and all the members. Your member.

VIRGINIA LIPSCOMB.



Drawn by Helen Constance Simons.

Editorial and Literary Department

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WHY WASHINGTON'S EYES FOLLOW US,

There is one picture of Washington in which the eyes follow any one who looks at it. It is the portrait painted by Gilbert Stuart. The eyes are very large and noble. They tell every boy to be brave and to love his country. Eyes that follow the gaze are to be found in "Mona Lisa" and many of the world's greatest paintings.

MARGARET SIMON

MARGARET SIMON. THE WISH THAT CAME TRUE.

"Mother, I wish to do something to help win the war," said a little girl to "I'll give you a quarter to help me before and after school," exclaimed her

After school the little girl came home and helped her mother. At the close of every week the lady gave the little girl a quarter. She bought a thrift stamp and soon filled out one card. She exchanged it for a war saving stamp. irl a quarter. She bought a thrift amp and soon filled out one card, he exchanged it for a war saving lamp.

Every week she bought a thrift lamp. So her wish came true, MARY FLOURNOY.

But before the war is over, We'll march right through Berlin And sweep the Kaiser off his throne And put the President in. (Original.)

LYDIA SCARBOROUGH.

Puzzle Department

JUMBLED NAMES OF MEMBERS. Lehen Moisns, Enjsnign Tuhn, Burde Weakshn. Egygp Ustra. Deflorw Karber, Bury Amerds, J. ALBERT DOYLE, GIRLS NAMES IN FIGURES. 1. 5 12 9 27 1 2 5 2 18. 2. 13 1 18 26. 3. 1 14 14 5. 4. 20 19 20 9 5. 6. 1 12 9 12 12 5. 6. 1 12 9 12 12 5.

> 10. 13 1 18 21 8 1. WYNDHAM WRIGHT, JR. THE DIARY OF KAZAN.

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April 1, 1918.—I am a great German police dog, and I think that as long as I will have so many adventures I might as well start, what the human beings call a "Diary."

I was born in New York, in — Dog Kennels, and I was trained there. I was sold to a 'young lady, who, I heard my former master say, loved dogs, and this I found to be true.

On a cold day in December I was put in a slatted box and shipped away, of course, my master had everything put in my box that I needed, straw, a tin can of water and some food. When my food and water gave out a very nice but rough man gave me more. If it hadn't been for the noise and confusion of the trip, I should have enjoyed it thoroughly. I arrived in a dirty, smoky place, with great locomotives steaming on every side and stayed there about a half a day. Nobody knows how homesick I got for my comrades. Then my mind wandered to what my mistress would look like. Finally I was put in a big rattling thing, called a truck, and carried up to what I thought to be my future home.

April 2.—My mistress came out to see me and she was entirely different

that I nearly got "blewed" up by a submarine.

April 27—We are in sight of land, and it certainly will feel funny to have my feet on soil once more. My little book has given out, and I am on the last page. I think that it's fine, because my next volume will be about my adventures "over there."

BY EDITH RUTHERFOORD.

THE KAISER'S CRUELNESS.

The Kaiser is a cruel man;
He kills and murders all
Who will not help him in the strife
To win this awful war. And after all his cruelness

To prevent the United States soldiers From carrying him to his grave.

He burns the Belgian children And kills the mothers, too, In such a cruel manner It makes us all turn blue,









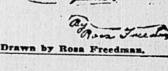


BURNING BUYING IN BONDS THE 4" LIBERTY LOAN Drawn by Patrick J. Ryan.

OPENTALE CONDETO BERLIND # But II.C. LLBERTY BENDS











Drawn by Dorothy J. Balley.



